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LETTER TO COMMISSION

TO:

Mayor Matti Herrera Bower and Members of the City Commission

FROM:

Kathie G. Brooks, Interim City Manager

DATE:

January 25, 2013

SUBJECT: MiaGreen Expo & Conference

This Letter to Commission is provided to inform you of the City's participation at the MiaGreen Expo & Conference this year, in our efforts to promote the City's sustainable initiatives.

This year's MiaGreen Expo & Conference will be held on Thursday, January 31 and Friday, February 1 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Miami Beach Convention Center. The City will be showcasing our sustainable initiatives, including the City's recycling campaign. Since 2009, with the support of the Sustainability Committee, Miami Beach has participated in the MiaGreen Expo & Conference.

We would like to invite you to attend the Expo and Conference on Thursday, January 31. At 9:00 a.m. in Room A209, Vice Mayor Michael Gongora will welcome the event attendees and make the opening remarks. At 10:30 a.m. in the Exhibit Hall, Commissioner Jerry Libbin, Chair of the Sustainability Committee, will discuss the Sustainability Committee's commitment to promoting a more sustainable community. The City will also have an informational booth on the expo show floor where we will distribute educational material and highlight the City's sustainability efforts. Members of the Sustainability Committee will be assisting during the event.

If you have any suggestions or need additional information, please feel free to contact Elizabeth Wheaton, Environmental Resources Manager, at elizabethwheaton@miamibeachfl.gov.

